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In Re Patent Application of :  
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For: **WORKER'S COMPENSATION INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir(s):

A response to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2005 in the above-identified patent application was due November 2, 2005. A One Month Petition For Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith. Accordingly, the present amendment and response is being extended by one month to and including December 2, 2005. Should there be any fees due and owing with respect to this response, the Office is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-3208.

Reconsideration of the application in view of this paper is respectfully requested.

**Listing and Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.**

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